Rise of the Hedgehog

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Summary: After a lot of years, the final version of Sonic's greatest villain, Metal Sonic, has been made by Doctor Eggman. With the return of Mephiles The Dark, known as the demon hedgehog, Metal Sonic and Mephiles unite to destroy Sonic The Hedgehog and his friends once and for all. It is time... For the Rise of the Hedgehog.

1. Prologue

**A/N: Hey, guys and gals! This is the third fanfiction I ever wrote (and my third Sonic fanfiction), and, I plan to make this fanfiction my biggest one yet. This chapter tries to explain a LOT of things, like who is Tails, or even one of Eggman's robots and their story, and etc, but also focus on the main story. I'm doing this because I want this fanfiction to be enjoyable to every casual Sonic fan and every Hardcore Sonic fan. Anyway, this is the prologue, and I hope you enjoy it! Good reading. Oh, and there are some easter eggs in the chapter, try to find them!**

Chapter One: Prologue

Everything begins in a dark and big room. The lights were turned off. There was a buzzing sound, coming from a deactivated robot. This 'robot' had red eyes, and he was moving his arms, legs and head quite fast, even if it was deactivated. An unfinished prototype of a robot with artificial intelligence, that means, with his own intelligence, is always like that. Suddenly, a door opens, and light appears. It is revealed that Metal Sonic is the robot that is making the buzzing sound. From the door, a man with a big mustache and glasses, wearing a red jacket and black pants, known as Doctor Eggman, the most brilliant scientist in the world with a IQ of 300, walked in the dark room. He came near Metal Sonic and looked at him for some seconds. Then, he carried him with the help of a mechanical glove in his hands and walked out of the dark room slowly, with the echo of his footsteps filling the whole room, and the door closed.

"Tomorrowâ€| You will rise, Metal Sonic." Eggman said, in a serious tone.

Tomorrow, 9 AM, Green Hill Zone.

The sun arises in the popular location known as Green Hill Zone. This beautiful place has a lot of cute animals living there, and also was a colorful location. Unfortunately, this was the place where usually Doctor Eggman would attack. But someone was always there to defend it. This 'someone' didn't only defended Green Hill, but also was known as the protector of the entire world, and would make everything to save it from Eggman or another villain, or creature. He was a blue hedgehog with green eyes, red shoes and white gloves, also known as the fastest thing alive. Since he was ten years old, he was recognized as a hero, and six years have passed since his big debut. Right now, this hedgehog was standing in a mountain in Green Hill, and he was preparing himself to make a little race, while he was looking at the entire Green Hill. Smiling, he jumped from the mountain, and when he reached the ground, he started running as fast as no human could run.

He was Sonic The Hedgehog.

Running around at the speed of sound, he had a lot of places to go. Sonic was going to Marble Zone first, then to Emerald Hill, and finally, he would stop in Station Square to eat some Chili Dogs, his favorite food. He would have to do this in three minutes and a half to break his record. Sonic The Hedgehog had also a lot of friends, including Miles Tails Prower, his best friend. Tails was a 12 years old fox, and he was Sonic's partner and best friends since he was six years old. However, he was born with two tails, and until today, he is bullied because of that by some people, at least his friends don't bully him.

Sonic's cellphone started playing his ringtone song, Live and Learn, and that means that, obviously, someone was calling him.

"Hey, Sonic here. Who is this?" He asked, still running.

"Look above." Someone said on the cellphone.

When the Hedgehog looked up, he only saw the Tornado, which was a plane that Tails built with the energy of one of the Chaos Emeralds, one of the most powerful gems in the world. Tails was the one driving the plane, while talking to Sonic in the cellphone.

"I've just heard Eggman is attacking the city with the Egg Dragoon, aaand we gotta go right now. Only Silver, Shadow and Knuckles are fighting with the Egghead! Enter in the Tornado, fast!" Tails said to Sonic.

"Awâ€| I'll need to brake my record laterâ€|" Sonic said, being sarcastic.

In an instant, Sonic jumped to the plane and turned off his cellphone.

"Soâ€| Ready to fight, Tails?" Sonic asked while looking to his fox friend, smiling.

"You can finish our friendship when I'm not ready!" Tails said.

The fox made the Tornado fly faster to reach Station Square before Eggman could do something worse.

In Station Square…

The ultimate life form, Shadow the Hedgehog, the protector of the Master Emerald, Knuckles the Echidna, and the Time Traveler, Silver the Hedgehog, were fighting with the new version of Doctor Eggman's Egg Dragoon, also called Ultra-Hyper Prototype 3. This robot was a mechanical Dragon with a massive cannon in its right hand, and a powerful and giant drill in its left hand. Unlike its two original versions, this one doesn't need a powerful source to work, like a Chaos Emerald. It just works normally and it is stronger and more resistant. Eggman's technology surely evolved through the years, and this wasn't a good thing. The robot was still in a test phase, that's why it still had Prototype in the name.

The three heroes were being beaten up. Shadow was thrown in a car, Knuckles couldn't do any damage to the robot and Silver couldn't use his telekinesis to move the robot, and no matter how many cars he threw at the Egg Dragoon, he wouldn't take any damage. There were screams everywhere, coming from innocent people running away from the area as the military G.U.N. arrived with tanks, some soldiers and etc.

"On your command, Shadow The Hedgehog." One of the soldiers said in a radio.

"You… Can fire." Shadow said, also, in a radio, while getting out of the car he was thrown.

G.U.N. started to fire on the Ultra-Hyper Prototype 3, but nothing happened. The tanks started to fire too, but still, nothing. The Egg Dragoon was ready to shoot at G.U.N. with the massive cannon in its right hand, but Knuckles came and started to punch the cannon. This time, Knuckles' punch was making effect. The cannon got some little damage and it wasn't working. That gave time to G.U.N. to run away, since they couldn't help at all.

The Tornado was on the sky of Station Square, and Sonic jumped from it. The first thing he did was to attack the head of the Egg Dragoon, using a Homing Attack. It actually got damaged this time, and meanwhile, the Hedgehog was still attacking its head. Then, he jumped to the ground.

"What took you so long?" Knuckles asked.

"You don't want to know…" Sonic answered.

"Wellâ \in | Now you got my attention." The red echidna said, as he looked to the robot again.

The Egg Dragoon looked to Sonic. The emerald eyes of the Hedgehog were focused on the entire street, which has been destroyed. Again, the population would have to fix it again. Poor people…

"Ohâ \in | Hello, Little Hedgehog!" Dr. Eggman's voice came from the robot.

"Uhâ€| Hey, Eggface. Again with your old Egg-Trash Robot?" Sonic said, sarcastically, while still looking to the street.

Eggman didn't replied to Sonic's answer, and immediately moved the Egg Dragoon to attack the Blue Hedgehog with the giant drill. In a matter of seconds, Sonic jumped and used another Homing Attack on the head of the robot. The Tornado left a bomb fall on the street, and Silver grabbed it with his telekinesis and threw it in the head of the robot. This time, it got a lot of damage. The Egg Dragoon fell on the ground.

"Knuckles, get this!" Tails was still flying with the Tornado, and suddenly, he threw a micro-chip to Knuckles.

Luckily, the echidna grabbed it.

"Great! Now what?!" Knuckles asked, a little bit confused.

"Try to open the Egg Dragoon and put this in it!"

The instructions were easy. He just had to make damage enough to the Egg Dragoon and put the micro-chip inside the robot. Since he knew Tails well, the chip was probably containing a lot of viruses to make the robot stop working, and the fox would control the chip to get into the core. How he could do this? He doesn't know. Tails was the most intelligent member of Team Sonic, which was now containing Sonic, Knuckles, Tails, Shadow and Silver. They were also often called the "Fantastic Five" by Station Square and the world.

Knuckles was running to the Egg Dragoon. However, the robot was working again and it started to fly. The massive cannon shot at the red echidna, but just in time, Sonic got him. The Hedgehog threw his friend onto the head of the Egg Dragoon. Again, it started to shoot at Knuckles with the cannon, but it missed all the shots. The red echidna punched the face of the Egg Dragoon, and opened a hole in the "belly" of the robot, and put the micro-chip in there. Suddenly, the chip gained legs and it started to go to the core of the machine. When Knuckles looked to Tails in the Tornado, he was using a tablet. Probably he was controlling the micro-chip. The echidna jumped from the Egg Dragoon.

"OK Shadow, now it is your turnâ \in |" Knuckles said, while looking to Shadow.

The black hedgehog was just there, stopped, looking to the Egg Dragoon which was coming to attack him. At the last second, he teleported using his Chaos Emerald. This technique was called "Chaos Control". Chaos Control could be used to stop time and teleport, using any Chaos Emerald. Suddenly, Shadow appeared above of the Egg Dragoon, and attacked it without any stop. When he stopped, the robot turned to Shadow and shot at him using the cannon, and this time, it didn't missed. It shot at Shadow. Luckily to the hedgehog, since he was the ultimate life form and immortal, he didn't suffered almost any damage. He just had some scars at his arm, leg and head. But, he would recover from it.

Shadow teleported again, this time, to one of the buildings of the street, to attract the Egg Dragoon. The plan worked, and the robot

was coming after him, without noticing that it was a trap. At the building, the machine used the drill to attack Shadow, and it worked. Shadow had more scars this time and he was thrown into another building. The Tornado came with a lot of rockets, and they all were thrown into the Egg Dragoon. An explosion happened, and the Egg Dragoon was even more damaged. The robot was focusing to shoot with the massive cannon at the Tornado, when suddenly, it stopped working. The micro-chip with the viruses from Tails got into the core of the Egg Dragoon. The Machine fell into the ground, making a big noise.

Everyone jumped to the street again. The head of the Egg Dragoon was broken, and Eggman got out of it. Tired, he looked to everyone. Sonic, Knuckles, Tails, Shadow and Silver. Again, he had lost. But… What if he had a Plan B?

"Alright, alright! I give up!" Eggman said, sad. Or pretending to beâ \in |

"Heh†| Showing remorse, Eggman?" Sonic said, smiling.

"You know it could be a trap, Sonic" Silver said, worried.

"And you, sir, are right."

After saying this, Dr. Eggman got a button from his red jacket and pressed it. Suddenly, three helicopters with the Eggman symbol came in and landed. A lot of Badniks came from it, and they were all around the Sonic Heroes. It was all a trap set by the greatest scientist in the world. The badniks were robots made by Eggman, that exist since the first time Sonic fought him when he was 10 years old.

"Now, Sonic… Prepare to meet your doom."

"Not this time, Egghead…" Sonic said, now angry.

The badniks advanced to attack everyone. However, the heroes strike back. They fight with the robots with no problem. Sonic uses spin dashes and homing attacks, Tails uses a glove that gives him strength and fight with the robots with the help of Knuckles, Shadow keeps teleporting everywhere destroying the robots while Silver used telekinesis to throw the robots away and destroy them. In a matter of seconds, they were all destroyed.

Seeing what was happening, Eggman knew it was time to run away. The Egg-Mobile came in just in time, and he got into it and flied away. Sonic noticed this, and decided to throw one of the destroyed badniks into the Egg-Mobile. Obviously, it had no effect and he still got away.

"Stupid Eggman…" Sonic said.

"Don't worryâ€| He's getting busy with all the robots he's been creating recently, soâ€| I think it will take some weeks, or months, to him come back." Tails said.

"We should go after him." Shadow said, with his arms crossed. "He may be doing something dangerous, in his ship."

"C'mon Shadow, don't be scared!" Sonic said, calm. "If he does another robot, we'll take care of it."

Meanwhile, Eggman was going to his ship using the Egg-Mobile. He wasn't happy, but he wasn't sad either. In fact, he was angry. Really, really angry.

"It is timeâ \in | Sonic could defeat the Egg Dragoon 3 with the help of his annoying friends, but nowâ \in | It is timeâ \in | To activate Metal Sonic 9.0." Eggman said.

**TO BE CONTINUED…**

**A/N: So this is it! I hope you guys liked the Prologue! I know it may have some grammar errors, since English isn't my native language. But I'm doing my best! Please review to let me know what did you think of the first chapter and if you want to read more in the future, follow the fanfiction! Oh, and tell me the easter eggs you found on this chapter! Thanks for reading! **

2. Always Late

**A/N: Hey there, true believers! This is the second chapter of 'Rise of the Hedgehog', it will focus more on the story rather than a fight, which was what happened in the Prologue. I focused way too much in the fight between Eggman and the heroes, and I think it got boring. Anyway, if you see that I can improve in something about the fanfiction, please review or send me a message! Anyway, I hope you like this chapter more than the first one. Oh, and there are more easter eggs on this chapter, I'll tell all of them at the final notes at the end of the chapter!**

Chapter Two: Always late

10:35 AM…

One hour and a half later after the Egg Dragoon Fight, the golden fox Miles Tails Prower was running to school. The Tornado stopped working, for no motive. Eggman didn't make any damage to the plane in the battle, but the Tornado wasn't flying anymore. After the battle, the fox and the others had to help the population to rebuild a certain part of the streets of Station Square. It was all destroyed by the 'stupid' Doctor Eggman. And now, Tails would have to run to his school. He would arrive earlier if his plane didn't suddenly broke, but he always had bad luck.

Tails was in 9th grade on the school. He was 12 years old, but since he was really intelligent, he could already be on this grade. He didn't have any friends there, because everyone thought he was a boring nerd which does nothing in life except study, even if he saved the world a thousand of times with the fastest thing alive. He tried to ignore, but on the inside, it was hurting him, to be ignored and hated by everyone.

The golden kitsune arrived at school, tired of running. A lot of student were walking around the school's lake, and now, Tails was worried about the first class. What if he missed it? Today was the day he had to give to the teacher three pages of homework. Distracted, the fox let his books fall on the ground. He got them and

started running again to his classroom, when he found his teacher, Mr. Mark Jefferson. Now, Tails was nervous. He definitely arrived late for the first class.

"Umâ \in | Hey, Mr. Jefferson!..." Tails said, nervous and making a fake smile.

"Oh, hello Tails. What are you doing here?" The teacher asked, with a confused face.

"Me? Um… Well, I… Was going to your class."

"My class? But†| It is over! Don't say to me that you were saving the city again."

Tails got more nervous and blushed a little bit. Yup, he was saving Station Square again and lost his class. This was the fourth time this month that he arrived late, he would definitely get a bad $grade \hat{a} \in \{$

"Y… Yes, I was helping Sonic to…" Tails was interrupted.

"Miles Tails Prower, you need to focus on your studies. Your friends can protect the city alone! They will understand that you need to focus on school for some time." Mark Jefferson said, with an angry face.

The golden fox was a little bit mad at his teacher, but he couldn't deny that he was right. He had to focus on school more, even if that means he would not help Sonic anymore. However, he didn't WANTED to stop. He knew that the city needed him, but what if the city didn't needed him, and only Sonic, Knuckles, Shadow and etc? Tails always thought that he wasn't so important, after all. He decided to continue his conversation with Jefferson.

"But… I have to help them! What if something happens with them? I can't let this happen…"

"Tailsâ€| You're my favorite student in 9th grade, only because you are intelligent, have an IQ of 300 and you are one of the only ones who actually cares for school. If something happens with your friends, justâ€| Go save them! Right now, they may not need you. Focus more on school." Mark walked away, and turned back to the fox. "And also, try to arrive at time for the next classesâ€| Or I'll give you a F."

Mr. Jefferson walked away. Tails was shocked with the last words his teacher said. F Grade? Tails couldn't get a F! He would have to tell Sonic about this, and the hedgehog would need to understand. He knew Sonic would understand. After all, they were best friends for six years. The hedgehog wouldn't be an idiot to his best friend! Sonic always treated Tails like a little brother, after Eggman killed his parents. After the death of Tails' parents, he started to live alone, until he found Sonic. The hedgehog adopted him and always treated him with respect, and etc. Then, they always fought Eggman together. But now, this had to stop.

**Meanwhile, at Eggman's shipâ€|**

Doctor Eggman entered in a dark room, and turned on the lights. The

room had only one table with a lot of blue papers, tools and other stuff, a chair, and a tube with a turned-off robot in it. Eggman walked near the tube, and pressed a button. The tube opened, and the robot fell on the ground. The doctor came near it, while holding a button. He pressed it, and some buzz could be heard, coming from inside the blue robot. A minute passed, and the robot was getting up. Suddenly, red eyes appeared on its face. The robot moved his face and looked at Eggman for some seconds. Both of them didn't said anything, and just stared at each other. The doctor was smiling, happy that the final version of his ultimate creation was complete. Metal Sonic was back.

- "Hello. I am Doctor Eggman." Eggman said, still looking to the robot.
- "â€ \mid I know you." Metal Sonic said. His voice was robotic, and rough.
- "Yes, you do. And you are…"
- "I am Sonic. Sonic the Hedgehog."

Doctor Eggman put a memory chip in Metal Sonic. The memory chip made Metal Sonic believe that he was Sonic the Hedgehog, and the REAL Sonic was a fake one who took his place. The chip also made Metal believe that Eggman revived him to defeat the fake Sonic once and for all. So this time, Metal Sonic wouldn't betray him like he always did.

"Hello, Sonic. You do know everything, right? About the fake Sonic who took your place."

"Yes."

"And what are you going to do with him?"

"I'm goingâ€| To kill the fake Sonic. Because I amâ€| The Real Sonic."

Meanwhile, a shadow was looking to Eggman and Metal Sonic. None of them noticed it. The shadow didn't was still looking.

"Hmâ€|" The shadow said, before it disappeared.

**TO BE CONTINUED…**

**A/N: All the easter eggs:**

- _**Mr. Jefferson, A.K.A. Mark Jefferson, is a supporting character in the game Life is Strange by Dontnod and Square Enix.**_
- _**The whole scene that Tails was late to school was based on a scene from Spider-Man 2, where the main character Peter Parker got late to Dr. Connors' class.**
- "_**I am the Real Sonic" is the most famous line of Metal Sonic.**_
- _**So that's it! I hope you all liked the chapter! Please review this chapter, it inspires me to continue this fanfiction! Don't forget to

follow the fanfiction and give it a favorite if you're excited for the next chapters!** $_$

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